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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

~~Toshihiko~~ OUCHI

~~Application~~ No.: 09/627,448

~~Filed~~: July 27, 2000

~~For~~: OPTICAL WIRING DEVICE

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Examiner: E. Kim

Group Art Unit: 2874

July 3, 2002

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THIRD INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the document listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. A copy of the listed document is also enclosed.

FEE STATEMENT

The present Third Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after the mailing of a first Official Action on the merits of the present application. Accordingly, Applicant submits herewith the \$180 Information Disclosure Statement fee. The Commissioner is

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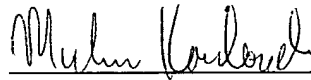
authorized to charge any deficiency in payment to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed for that purpose.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that an initialed copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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